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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*

	FREIGHT	TRUCK DEALERS AT TERMINAL	TRUCK & EXPRESS (DIRECT RECEIVERS)	TRUCK LONG ISLAND DUCKS	TOTAL RAIL & TRUCK
JULY 21, 1943	59,035	178,883	168,417	8,720	415,055
SO FAR THIS WEEK	610,112	553,556	816,905	27,184	2,007,757
SAME DAY LAST WEEK	514,021	766,111	1,144,514	45,670	2,470,316

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS, WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS.

NEW YORK - ONE CAR WAS REPORTED ON TRACK, PLUS 2 DUE LATE THIS AFTERNOON AT LONG ISLAND CITY AND 1 CAR AT WEEHAWKEN FOR THE NEW YORK LIVE POULTRY TRADE. AS NO SALES FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING WERE CONSUMMATED AT THIS WRITING THE MARKET HELD NOMINALLY FIRM AT PREVAILING FIGURES. TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL AND CONSISTED MOSTLY OF FAIR TO ORDINARY QUALITY SPRINGS. THE DEMAND WAS ACTIVE FOR FOWL AND FANCY SPRINGS BUT SLOW FOR LOWER GRADES OF SPRINGS AND SUPPLIES WERE NOT ENTIRELY CLEAR AT THE CLOSE. HIGH PRICES FOR FANCY STOCKS WERE STILL REPORTED BY VARIOUS RETAILERS. HOWEVER, LOWER GRADES WERE OFFERED AT CONCESSIONS IN AN EFFORT TO CLEAR. MARKET CLOSED FIRM FOR ALL CLASSES OF LIVE POULTRY, QUALITY CONSIDERED. THE 31 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED 21 DELAWARE CROSS, 3 MARYLAND CROSS, 1 VIRGINIA CROSS, 1 W. VIRGINIA CROSS, 1 DELAWARE RED, 1 PENN. LEGHORN, 1/2 NEW YORK MIXED, 1/2 PENN. MIXED, TOTAL 29 SPRINGS; 1 PENN. AND 1 VERMONT FOWL, PLUS A FEW LONG ISLAND DUCKS. DELAWARE CROSS SPRINGS AND A NEW YORK MIXED WERE DUE LATER IN THE DAY. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 96,471 POUNDS. ACTUAL SALE PRICES IMPOSSIBLE TO VERIFY ON TODAY'S MARKET. CEILING PRICES ARE AS FOLLOWS: BROILERS, FRYERS, ROASTERS 32, FOWL 28 1/2, ROOSTERS 24 1/2, DUCKS 27 1/2, SQUADS 40-50 PER PAIR, RABBITS 30 A FEW SELECTED HIGHER.

PHILADELPHIA - RECEIPTS LIGHT WITH FANCY QUALITY CLEARING RAPIDLY. SOME SMALL BROILER OF ONLY POOR TO FAIR QUALITY WERE HAVING SLOW SALE. THE CLAMORING FOR SUPPLIES AS NOTED YESTERDAY BY FEW RETAILERS WAS LESS VEHEMENT TODAY. RECEIPTS JULY 22 64,578 POUNDS BY TRUCK, 1,276 POUNDS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 65,854 POUNDS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK, 59,829 POUNDS BY TRUCK, 1489 POUNDS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 61,318 POUNDS. (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION) REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL 27 1/2-28, ROASTERS, FRYERS AND BROILERS 31 1/2-3. OLD ROOSTERS AND STAGS 24.

BALTIMORE - RECEIPTS LIGHT, MARKET FIRM, PRICES UNCHANGED.

BOSTON - PRICES ON POULTRY CONTINUE FIRM. TRADING WAS SLOW. THERE WERE AMPLE STOCKS ON HAND AND DEALERS WERE SEEKING TO CLEAR FOR THE WEEK END. PRICES UNCHANGED RECEIPTS 41,891 POUNDS.

WASHINGTON - MARKET STEADY. RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT. SOME BROILERS AND FRYERS 28 1/2.

CHICAGO - FREER SUPPLIES OF LIVE POULTRY WERE AVAILABLE IN THE CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET, FRIDAY, JULY 22, AS DEALERS REPORTED RECEIPTS TOTALLING 228,692 POUNDS COMPARED WITH 183,260 POUNDS LAST WEEK AND APPROXIMATELY 217,980 POUNDS LAST YEAR. FIVE CARS WERE INCLUDED IN ARRIVALS TODAY. A LARGE PROPORTION OF HENS WERE RECEIVED MOST OF THE YOUNG STOCK WAS LEGHORNS. DEALERS DO NOT ANTICIPATE MUCH YOUNG HEAVY BREEDS UNTIL LATER. AN INCREASE IN DRESSED POULTRY ADVERTISEMENTS BY LARGE RETAIL MARKETS AND CHAIN STORES IS NOTED INDICATING THAT CONSUMER DEMAND MAY BE BETTER SATISFIED CURRENTLY.

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